GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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NATIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT PROJECT
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have formulated comprehensive proposal for National Water Management Project-II;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith estimated cost of the Project;

(c) whether the Government have sought any assistance from World Bank; and

(d) the names of the beneficiary States on completion of the Project ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI ARJUN CHARAN SETHI)

(a) to (d) A comprehensive proposal for National Water Management Project Phase II covering 428 schemes and CCAof 6.3 million ha in 11 states viz Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Goa, Gujarat, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal, amounting to Rs. 2880 crores was forwarded to the World Bank for assistance through Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, in December, 1996. The World Bank did not agree to fund the proposal.